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Attorney's Docket No. MCS-075-03 (306709.1)
**Title: A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR EFFICIENTLY TRANSFERRING MEDIA
ACROSS FIREWALLS**

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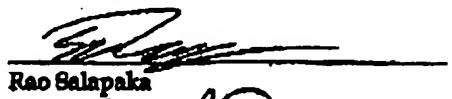
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